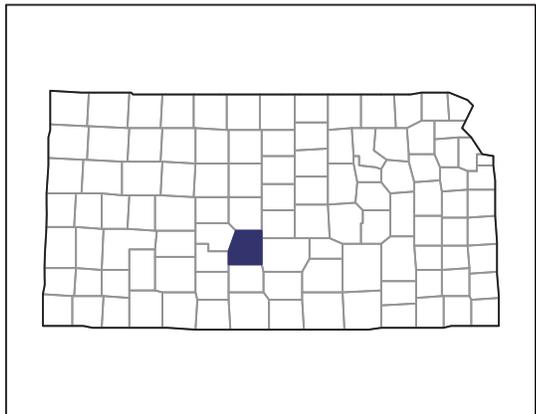


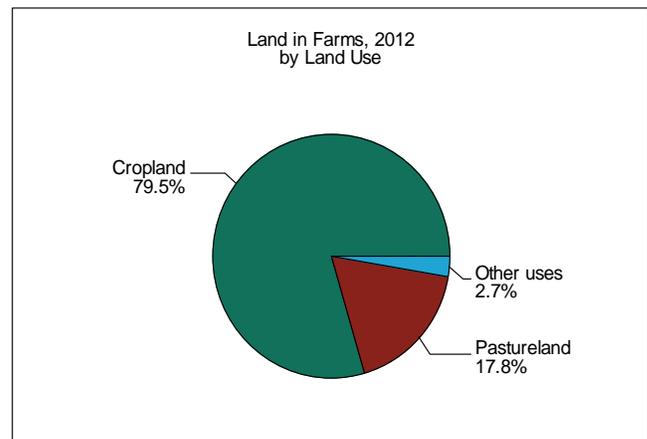
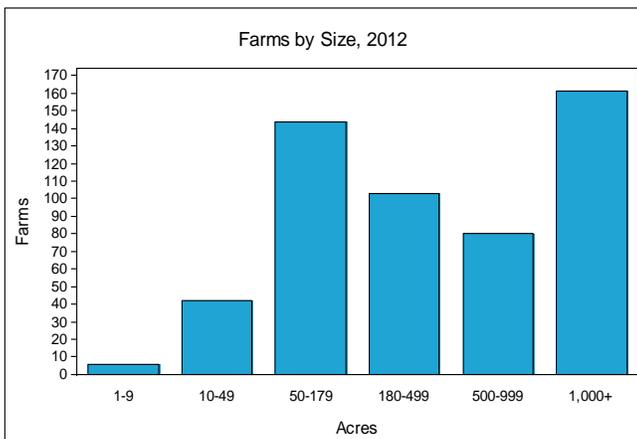
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Stafford County Kansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	536	558	- 4
Land in Farms	498,769 acres	502,229 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	931 acres	900 acres	+ 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$197,621,000	\$167,828,000	+ 18
Crop Sales \$120,219,000 (61 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$77,402,000 (39 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$368,696	\$300,767	+ 23
Government Payments	\$6,769,000	\$6,887,000	- 2
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,747	\$14,684	0





Stafford County – Kansas

Ranked items among the 105 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	197,621	24	105	546	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	120,219	13	105	527	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	77,402	34	105	619	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	113,200	14	105	404	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	972	8	23	429	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	54	73	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	26	72	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	6	25	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	5,796	10	105	517	3,049
Poultry and eggs	18	49	100	2,126	3,013
Cattle and calves	72,326	30	105	189	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	75	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	4,790	22	101	569	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	172	22	102	908	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	58	63	104	2,181	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	38	41	84	1,579	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	184,229	8	105	58	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	184,229	8	105	27	2,480
Corn for grain	56,586	25	105	564	2,638
Soybeans for beans	47,060	38	103	626	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	22,862	45	105	840	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	48,978	36	105	518	3,063
Hogs and pigs	8,897	28	101	662	2,889
Sheep and lambs	934	19	101	940	2,897
Horses and ponies	646	39	105	1,760	3,072
Layers	321	70	103	2,598	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	184	Farming	275
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15	Other	261
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	Male	470
\$10,000 to \$19,999	28	Female	66
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	50	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	53	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	92	White	750
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	172,683	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	322,169	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	40,953		
Average per farm (\$)	76,405		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.